

Ichmiller House (MAY)
Columbia
Monroe County
Illinois

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Written Historical and Descriptive Data

ADDENDUM
FOLLOWS

ICHMILLER HOUSE
Columbia, Monroe County, Illinois

Owner. Mary Ichmiller.

Date of Erection. About 1840.

Architect. No record.

Builder. Adam Schneider.

Present Condition. The original building was solid brick, with an L-shaped plan and appendage at the rear. The present house took shape at a later date, when the angles of the L were closed with log construction and the porch added across the front. The whole is fairly well preserved.

Number of Stories. One and one-half.

Materials of Construction. The exterior walls of the original L-shape, including the appendage at the base of the stem, are solid brick masonry. The addition filling up the interior angle of the L at the front is log, while the rear is wood studs. The framework on the exterior is weatherboarded, and the brickwork left exposed. Pine framing, floors and trim; plastered walls and ceiling, first floor, exposed walls on second.

Other Existing Records. None.

Additional Data. The sloping site helped materially in making the addition at the rear practical. A continuation of the roof slope brought the eaves line slightly more than six feet above the grade. The lower floor level is

reached by a series of steps on the interior. The result
forms a later development of the early French types, which
generally were longer and not so steep.

Reference: Mary Ichmiller.

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